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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Please amend the application as follows.

In the specification:

The rewritten clean versions of all the specification changes are provided below. Attached at the end of this paper is an Appendix providing an indication of the changes relative to the prior version of the specification, as now required by Rule 121.

On page 2, replace the paragraph from lines 4-19 with:

Furthermore, this patent application incorporates by reference the following patent documents: U.S. Patent Application Serial No. 10/075,122, Attorney Docket No. SILA:078, titled "Digital Architecture for Radio-Frequency Apparatus and Associated Methods"; U.S. Patent Application Serial No. 10/075,099, Attorney Docket No. SILA:097, titled "Notch Filter for DC Offset Reduction in Radio-Frequency Apparatus"

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